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A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
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Dear Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment, which accompanies a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R §1.114, is filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed June 2, 2005. The Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendment and accompanying remarks be considered.

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Remarks begin on page 6.